

**REMARKS**

Applicant and applicant's attorney express appreciation to the Examiner for the courtesies extended during the recent telephone interview held on May 20, 2009. Claims 1-14 are pending, and claims 10-14 have been amended herein as discussed during the interview. More specifically, claims 10-14 have been amended to provide antecedent basis and clarify the claim language. During the interview, the Examiner approved the amendments to claims 10-14 and agreement was reached that claims 1-14, with the amendments made herein, remain in condition for allowance. Accordingly, entry of the above amendments is respectfully requested.

Applicant believes that no fees are due. The Commissioner is, however, hereby authorized to charge payment of any of the following fees that may be applicable to this communication, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 23-3178**: (1) any filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16; or (2) any patent application and reexamination processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17.

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